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**Violations** 

On February 4<sup>Th</sup> 2005 candidate Keith Butler announced to myself and approximately 1200 convention delegates that he had raised over \$100,000.00 in his campaign for the U.S. Senate. At that convention he also distributed thousands of high quality pieces of literature. Along with the cost 10 to 20 campaign workers who would have had hotel accommodations for that weekend event.

Today I received a copy of the statement of candidacy for the Keith Butler for U.S. Senate committee and it was dated April 12<sup>TH</sup> 2005. It is my understanding that a campaign that spends or collects over \$5,000.00 must file their statement of candidacy immediately.

Also this month the campaign acquired a campaign office. This leads me to question whether the Keith Butler for U.S. Senate committee was operated out of the Word of Faith International Christian Center. A church that is operated on tax deductible contributions and run by Bishop & candidate Keith Butler. Before this committee opened the campaign office the only contact information posted on political Internet sites was a link to the Word of Faith International Christian Center.

At this time I have not seen this committees electronic filing, as it has not been posted on the FEC site. I would like to suggest the dates that expenditures were made be compared with the \$5,000.00 limit. Also the receipts are checked to explain the expenditures and statements of February 4<sup>TH</sup>.

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Signed and sworn to before me DANIEL Wright

Expires August 21,05